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The earlier volumes of this series have been discussed in previous issues of this Review. (Cf. 8 MICH. L. REV. 351; 10 MICH. L. REV. 663 and 11 MICH. L. REV. 174.) In addition to the editorial contributions mentioned on the title pages, each of the volumes contain valuable appendices. Appendix I, of Volume V, gives an appreciative account of Jhering, the man and his works,